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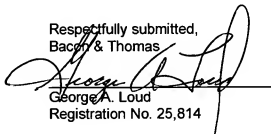
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the examiner consider and cite of record the eight documents listed on the attached. Copies of the five listed Japanese documents are submitted herewith, along with a published English language abstract of each.

Note that US 2003/0174518 corresponds to Japanese Kokai discussed as "background art" at pages 1 and 2 of applicants' specification.

The eight listed documents were cited in the International Search Report issued in the international phase of the captioned application. A copy of the International Search Report is also submitted herewith.

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U.S. Patent Documents

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